

HR 818

Federal Acupuncture Coverage Act of 2005

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Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Feb 15, 2005
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Rep. Wolf, Frank R. [R-VA-10]	R · VA		Feb 15, 2005
Rep. Woolsey, Lynn C. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Feb 15, 2005
Rep. Wynn, Albert Russell [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Feb 15, 2005
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Feb 16, 2005
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Feb 17, 2005
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Mar 1, 2005
Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		Mar 2, 2005
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Mar 8, 2005
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Mar 8, 2005
Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Mar 8, 2005
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Mar 8, 2005
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Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		May 24, 2005
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Rep. Brown, Corrine [D-FL-3]	D · FL		Jun 21, 2005
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Jun 21, 2005
Rep. Olver, John W. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Jun 22, 2005

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Rep. Rohrabacher, Dana [R-CA-46]	R · CA		Jun 30, 2005
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Jul 11, 2005
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Jul 13, 2005
Rep. Bartlett, Roscoe G. [R-MD-6]	R · MD		Sep 20, 2005
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Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Sep 27, 2005
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 14, 2005
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 15, 2005
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 3, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 15, 2005)

Federal Acupuncture Coverage Act of 2005 - Amends part B (Supplementary Medical Insurance) of title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act and Federal civil service law relating to the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program to cover qualified acupuncturist services.

Actions Timeline

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